

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

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**IN RE:**

**CASE NO. 99-00888**

**The Cosmetic Center...**

**Debtor**

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**APPLICATION FOR PAYMENT OF UNCLAIMED FUNDS**

The undersigned, Mark Warren, Deputy General Counsel for The Locator Services Group Ltd. ("Applicant"), on behalf of Staples, Inc., ("Claimant") moves this court for entry of an Order directing the Clerk of the Court to remit to the Claimant the sum of \$1,790.71, currently held in the US Treasury as unclaimed funds.

Applicant further states that:

1. Staples, Inc. Staples Business Advantage was due to receive a distribution from the estate of the debtor in the above-captioned case in the amount of \$1,790.71. Said funds have been remitted to the Court as unclaimed, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 347. A copy of the Trustee's notice seeking to deposit these funds into the Treasury/Registry is appended to this Motion.
2. Applicant is an attorney and a "funds locator" who has been retained by the Claimant. Applicant has obtained an original Power of Attorney from the individual or the duly authorized representative for the business or the corporation seeking to claim said funds. A Power of Attorney conforming to the official Bankruptcy Form is attached and made a part of this Motion.
3. Applicant has attached and made part of this Motion additional exhibits containing supporting documentation establishing the Claimant is the rightful owner of said funds.
4. Applicant has made sufficient inquiry and has no knowledge that this claim has been previously paid, that any other application for this claim is currently pending before the court, or that any party other than the Claimant is entitled to submit an application for this claim.
5. Applicant states that Claimant has carefully searched his/her/their records, but could not locate the check(s), and, to the best of his/her/their knowledge, the check(s) have been lost, stolen, or destroyed. Claimant has not, and no one acting on his/her/their behalf has cashed, negotiated, endorsed, sold or

transferred the check(s) to anyone in any manner. If Claimant should find any such check(s), and proves that he/she/they is/are entitled to the distributions in respect of those check(s), Claimant will immediately return to the Clerk of the Court any distributions that Claimant received in respect of those check(s).

6. Applicant understands that pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 152, a fine or imprisonment, or both, may be imposed if Applicant has knowingly and fraudulently made any false statements in this document.

Respectfully submitted this day, Wednesday, October 28, 2015.

THE LOCATOR SERVICES GROUP LTD:

Staples, Inc.  
Claimant

04-2896127  
Claimant's SSN# or Tax ID

BY: [Signature]  
Signature of Applicant  
Mark Warren, Deputy General Counsel  
The Locator Services Group Ltd.  
Attorney in Fact for Staples, Inc.  
280 Summer St, Suite 400  
Boston, MA 02210  
Phone: (617) 859-0600, ex 32

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN before me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.



ALYCIA DeANGELIS  
Notary Public  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
My Commission Expires  
April 7, 2017

[Signature]  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
in and for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,  
residing in the County of Suffolk.  
My commission expires: 4/7/17.

**STAPLES**

## OFFICER'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

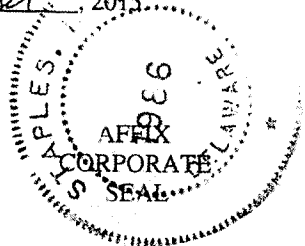
I, Christine Komola, Chief Financial Officer of Staples, Inc., certify that Cynthia Timmons is the Director of Contract Accounting for Staples, Inc. and, as such, is authorized to execute and deliver all documents pertaining to the recovery of abandoned or unclaimed property, and to transfer, endorse, liquidate and receive unclaimed securities and related dividends owned by Staples, Inc., its subsidiaries, affiliates, acquisitions, and predecessor companies. Such properties or securities may be held in Staples, Inc.'s own name or in the names of its subsidiaries, affiliates, acquisitions, predecessor companies, brand names, F/K/As and A/K/As.

Staples, Inc.'s subsidiaries, affiliates, acquisitions, predecessor companies, brand names, F/K/As, and A/K/As, include but are not limited to, those listed on the Exhibit A attached hereto.

I affirm that the foregoing is true, under the penalties of perjury this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015.

Christine Komola  
Christine Komola  
Chief Financial Officer  
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500 Staples Drive - 5W  
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Cynthia Timmons  
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Director of Contract Accounting  
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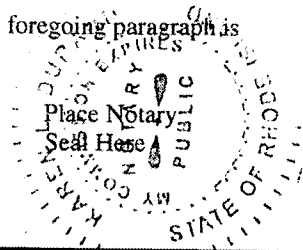
Before me, Christine Komola, Chief Financial Officer, personally appeared, and proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her authorized capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the person or entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of Massachusetts that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Karen Durand  
Notary's Signature

7/16/2018  
Commission Expires



State of Massachusetts, County of Middlesex

Before me, Cynthia Timmons, Director of Contract Accounting, personally appeared and proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her authorized capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument, the person or entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

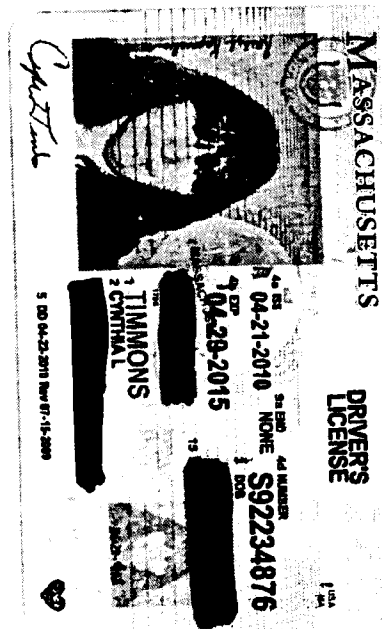
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EX-21.1 8 exhibit211 subsidiariesofth.htm SUBSIDIARIES OF THE COMPANY

**EXHIBIT 21.1**

<u>Name of Subsidiary</u>	<u>Jurisdiction of Incorporation</u>	<u>Business Names</u>
3053840 Nova Scotia Company	Canada	same
3053841 Nova Scotia Company	Canada	same
3094494 Nova Scotia Company	Canada	same
3258402 Nova Scotia Company	Canada	same
Agawam Mill, LP	USA	same
ATG Nye Drift AS	Norway	same
Auxilia Graphica S.r.L.	Italy	same
Beijing Staples Commerce & Trade Co., Ltd.	China	same
Bernard France SAS	France	same
Buhrmann II B.V.	Netherlands	same
Buhrmann Ireland Limited	Ireland	same
Buhrmann ISD Groupe S.A.	France	same
Buhrmann Paper UK Limited	United Kingdom	same
Buhrmann-Tetterode International Hellas A.E.E.	Greece	BTI-Hellas
CE Direct Pty Ltd	Australia	same
CEI Pty. Ltd.	Australia	same
CER New Zealand Limited	New Zealand	same
Cherokee Mill, LP	USA	same
Coppell Mill, LP	USA	same
Corporate Express B.V.	Netherlands	same
Corporate Express Canada, Inc.	Canada	Corporate Express of: Alberta,
Corporate Express Employee Share Plan Company Pty. Ltd.	Australia	Vancouver, Delivery Systems, Nova
Corporate Express France S.A.S.	France	Scotia, Maritimes
Corporate Express (Holdings) Ltd.	United Kingdom	same

<u>Name of Subsidiary</u>	<u>Jurisdiction of Incorporation</u>	<u>Business Names</u>
Staples Acquisition II B.V.	Netherlands	same
Staples Acquisition III B.V.	Netherlands	same
Staples Argentina S.A.	Argentina	same
Staples (Asia) Investments Limited	Cayman Islands	same
Staples Australia Bid Company Pty Limited	Australia	same
Staples Australia Holdings Pty Limited	Australia	same
Staples Australia Pty Limited	Australia	same
Staples Austria GmbH	Austria	same
Staples Belgium BVBA	Belgium	same
Staples Brand Consulting (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd.	China	same
Staples Brands International Limited	Hong Kong	same
Staples Brands Sales, LLC	USA	same
Staples Brasil Comercio de Materiais de Escritorio Ltda.	Brazil	same
Staples Canada, Inc.	Canada	Staples The Business Depot, Bureau en Gross, Staples the Office Superstore
Staples Canada Holdings, LLC	USA	same
Staples Canada Luxco SA	Luxembourg	same
Staples Canada Luxco II, SA	Luxembourg	same
Staples (China) Investment Co., Ltd.	China	same
Staples Connecticut, Inc.	USA	same
Staples Contract & Commercial, Inc.	USA	Staples Advantage, Staples Business Advantage, Staples National Advantage
Staples CRS BV	Netherlands	same
Staples CRS II BV	Netherlands	same
Staples CRS III BV	Netherlands	same
Staples CRS IV BV	Netherlands	same
Staples Cyprus Holdings Limited	Cyprus	same
Staples Cyprus Intermediary Holdings Limited	Cyprus	same
Staples Delivery Limited	United Kingdom	same
Staples Delivery, SA	Portugal	same



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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Staples, Inc. Staples Business Advantage		99-00888	The Cosmetic Center...	\$1,790.71

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LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY  
LIMITED TO ONE TRANSACTION ONLY

Staples, Inc. appoints The Locator Services Group Ltd., acting through its General Counsel and staff, as its lawful attorney in fact for the sole purpose of recovering or obtaining a credit of unclaimed funds or an outstanding obligation held on behalf of Staples, Inc. Staples Business Advantage in the amount of \$1,790.71 and held by the United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Delaware in the matter of The Cosmetic Center with case number 99-00888.

Staples, Inc. grants its attorney in fact the authority to do all things reasonably necessary to recover or obtain credit of the unclaimed funds or outstanding obligation due to Staples, Inc. Staples Business Advantage. Such acts shall include, but are not limited to: engaging in verbal or written communication with the holder of the funds or obligation; executing and filing all documents necessary to facilitate the payment or credit of the unclaimed funds or obligation; receiving written correspondence and all other documentation relevant to the payment or credit of the unclaimed funds or outstanding obligation; and receiving possession of the payment of these funds on behalf of Staples, Inc.

The Locator Services Group Ltd., as attorney in fact, may not make any expenditure or incur any costs on behalf of Staples Business Advantage or Staples, Inc.

Signed this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.

Staples, Inc.

By: [Signature]  
Cynthia Timmons  
Director of Contract Accounting

Tax ID No. 04-2896127  
(Required for identification purposes)

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On October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015 before me, Karen Durand, Notary Public, personally appeared Cynthia Timmons who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same in her authorized capacity, and that by her signature on the instrument the person or entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

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Notary Signature: Karen Durand

My Commission Expires: July 2018

